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FOR NAC AGENCIES

MANILA FOR USADB

EO 11652: ADS, DECLAS 3/2/76

TAGS: EAID, EFIN, CE

SUBJ: PROPOSED ADB LOAN - UREA FERTILIZER
PROJECT (SRI LANKA)

1. SUBJECT PROJECT HAS BEEN STUDIED,
RE-STUDIED AND LONG DELAYED DESPITE
WIDESPREAD DONOR ACCEPTANCE OF CONCEPT.
PRESENT LEVELS OF UREA USAGE REQUIRE LARGE
IMPORTS WHICH, ADDED TO FOOD IMPORTS,
CONTRIBUTE TO SL'S MSA STATUS. UNDER AID
\$8- MILLION LOAN SIGNED 25 MARCH 75, US
WILL SUPPLY SL WITH PERHAPS 40,000 MT UREA
BY 31 DEC 75. PROJECTED DESIRABLE
LEVELS OF UREA USAGE SUPPORT SUBJECT PROJECT
ON BASES OF FOREX SAVINGS THROUGH (A)
DIRECT IMPORT SUBSTITUTION FOR UREA AND
(B) INCREASED DOMESTIC FOOD PRODUCTION
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WITH CORRESPONDING REDUCTION IN FOODGRAIN

IMPORTS.

2. MISSION RECOMMENDS APPROVAL OF PROJECT.
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